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# STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73, REVOCATION OF PRIOR POWERS OF ATTORNEY OR AUTHORIZATIONS OF AGENT, AND POWER OF ATTORNEY OR AUTHORIZATION OF AGENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

#### Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73

Human Genome Sciences, Inc. ("HGS"), organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, having its principal place of business at 9410 Key West Avenue, Rockville, Maryland 20850, states that it is the assignee of record of the entire right, title and interest for the above-identified application by virtue of an assignment from inventors Soppet and Ruben, recorded in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 11, 1998, at Reel 9243, Frame 0573. This assignment was directed to the parent application (U.S. Application No. 09/049,022, filed March 27, 1998, now abandoned), and all continuation and divisional applications thereof.

The undersigned, whose title is supplied below, is empowered to sign this document on behalf of HGS. The undersigned has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the above-captioned application, and, to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief, HGS has title in the application as described above.

### Revocation of Prior Powers of Attorney or Authorizations of Agent

HGS hereby revokes all previous powers of attorney or authorizations of agent given in the above-captioned application.

#### Power of Attorney or Authorization of Agent

HGS hereby appoints the Practitioners at **Customer Number 22195** as its attorneys or agents with full power of substitution, association, and revocation to prosecute the above-captioned application, including any continuations or divisionals thereof, and to transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

Please change the <u>correspondence address</u> for the above-captioned application to the above-mentioned Customer Number, namely **22195**. Please also change the <u>Attorney Docket Number</u> to that noted above, namely **PF317C1**.

On behalf of Human Genome Sciences, Inc.:

For: <u>Human Genome Sciences</u> , Inc.
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